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MEMORANDUM FOR: Messrs. *Director/Walsh*

does not think Dick Lehman or OCI should carry the ball. He sees no reason why Vince shouldn't do the presentation, consulting with OSR and OCI on text.

*Talked to Vince -  
He will do, in consultation  
with OCI, OSR  
18 March*

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Date: 13 Mar 75

TO: Messrs. ~~Proctor~~/Walsh

FROM: [REDACTED]

SUBJECT: DIA Seminar on Indications and Warning  
in Europe

This concerns a DIA seminar on warning developments in Europe. An hour and a half have been allotted to Agency briefers (see clip).

Ops. Center and OSR have discussed the briefing, but feel other production offices should also be involved. To complicate matters, George Carver also has an invitation to participate.

Vince Heyman thinks he has a proxy from DDO in general; [REDACTED] may send representative.

The problem: nobody is coordinating the Agency presentation, which must be squeezed into a brief time period. Vince says he'll be happy to do it -- with or without Carver -- but would want to be accompanied by a representative from the production offices.

One possible approach: To have Vince and [REDACTED] work out with Carver and [REDACTED] an appropriate delegation and format.

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12 March 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Intelligence

SUBJECT : Invitation to Participate in DIA  
Seminar on Indications and Warning  
in Europe 8-10 April 1975

Dear Ed,

1. The original of the attached invitation and schedule came to me via OSR which feels, I think correctly, that they can only handle one part of any CIA presentation on this subject, scheduled for 9 April between 12 and 1:30. I have discussed this issue with [redacted] and in the interest of courtesy ran it by Hank Knoche. We are all in agreement that if it is done there must be a presentation on what the production offices do to contribute to indications and warning in Europe plus a discussion of DDO contributions and any others which are relevant. There are two other presentations planned which will effect any CIA effort: one to be given by [redacted] of the IC Staff and one by [redacted] on the Strategic Warning Staff follow-on mechanism to the Watch Committee. Thus, any CIA presentation would in logic have to limit itself to what CIA as a bureaucratic institution does as opposed to other Community elements.

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2. In attempting to broker this problem, and assuming that no single CIA entity can handle the topic, I have touched base with three elements of the DDO and NPIC, as well as OSR and OCI. The sense of these discussions is that there are three alternatives CIA should consider. First, we can decline the invitation. Second, we can accept but present the briefing in very general terms, in effect just going through the motions. Or we can do the job correctly and tell DIA and the others present that CIA indeed makes a very broad and significant contribution to indications and warning (read to the US military commands) in Europe. I favor the latter, but I have some doubt that the Agency as currently organized in this context is able to give an integrated and coherent presentation without trotting in five or six different people representing the various constitutencies to give their individual portions.

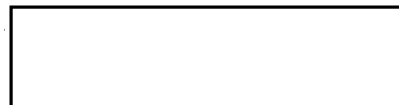
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3. Complicating this issue still further is the fact that George Carver has also received an invitation, presumably to participate in the same presentation, since no separate block is provided for the NIO's. In discussing this briefly with him and [ ] I learned this seminar is a partial outgrowth of a series of discussions that Carver had earlier with some of the people at USEUCOM in Stuttgart and more recently with M.G. Faurer. Therefore in one way or another I am sure he intends to be involved. The question is how and particularly whether he would respond to an invitation couched in and limited to CIA terms rather than one with a D/DCI/NIO flavor.

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4. This memorandum is both for information and a request for guidance. The Center because of its natural position right in the middle of this general topic should be the place where these kinds of things are brought together and appropriately presented whenever a CIA presentation is required and deemed in the Agency's interest. I remain willing to give it with or without George Carver and would like to have go with me if I do either a representative of all the production offices combined or be provided with a script representing their views. I have a substantial proxy from the DDO. Lastly I recommend against limiting this presentation to the production offices, or having it given by their representatives only. First, because it would not be representative of the Agency overall, and might affect the DDO proxy; and second, it would continue avoiding the situation which constantly arises when CIA is called upon to act on this generic subject. I plan no further action on this matter until I hear from you.

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VINCENT J. HEYMAN  
Chief, CIA Operations Center

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